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I really don't think the government should settle for anything less than the breakup of Microsoft. They hold to great a market share to allow any real competition at least in the home market. I believe Linux is managing to squeeze a little into the business market, but as soon as Microsoft turns its attention towards Linux fully they will completely crush it due to their stranglehold on the consumers.

AS a personal consumer, I find it atrocious that I have to spend almost \$90 every time I replace my pc in order to have a legal copy of Microsoft operating system. I would glady switch to something else, but many of the programs I use for home / work do not run on anything but MS windows. Please do something about this bullying megacorp asap! John Wohlers
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